Appl. No. 10/085,620

Amdt. dated August 13, 2003

Reply to Office Action of July 9, 2003

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS** 

Allowed claims 1-22 and 39 remain in the application, non-elect claims 23-36 together

with rejected claims 37 and 38 being cancelled. Cancellation of the indicated claims is made

without disclaimer or prejudice to include claims of identical or similar scope and/or claims

directed any other subject matter supported by the present disclosure in a divisional and/or other

continuing application(s). Accordingly, the application is now in condition for allowance.

Favorable reconsideration of the amended application and an early notification of allowance are

respectfully solicited.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please

charge our Deposit Account No. 06-2375, under Order No. 689.006/10203084 from which the

undersigned is authorized to draw.

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